

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 August 9 2014 to 1800 August 9 2014



Eiler Fire

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SIGNIFICANT WEATHER SITUATION SUMMARY

Significant Weather

The National Weather Service (NWS) is forecasting increased thunderstorm potential for interior portions of northwest California on Sunday, August 10th through Tuesday, August 12th; mainly afternoon and evening hours.

Forecasted Event Summary Highlights:

- A low pressure system will form off the west coast on Saturday and settle to just off the northern CA coast by Sunday. The dynamics of this system along with residual moisture, daytime heating and a strengthening jet stream will result in perfect conditions for a significant and widespread thunderstorm outbreak event beginning Sunday and continuing through at least Monday, with nocturnal storms a good possibility.
- A significant number of dry lightning strikes are expected with these storms along with strong gusty outflow winds.
- Warm and very dry conditions currently exist and are forecast to continue throughout much of this region this weekend and into early next week.
- All of these ingredients add up to high potential for several large fire starts. Northwest CA and southwest OR look to be the focus of this event although the rest of northern CA and the rest of OR will likely see thunderstorms as well.

Potential Impacts Highlights:

- Numerous large fire starts with rapid fire spread associated with either lightning or strong winds and low humidity.
- Smoke from fires having an impact on visibilities and air quality over a large area and a great distance.
- Additional large fire incidents will tax already depleted federal/state/local resources.

Red Flag Warnings:

- Red Flag Warning in effect from 1100 Sunday to 1700 Tuesday for portions of Shasta, Alpine, Plumas, Lassen (Lassen N.P.), Amador, El Dorado, Placer, San Joaquin, Butte, Nevada, Tehama, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Sierra, Yuba Counties.
- Red Flag Warning in effect from 1100 Sunday to 2300 Monday for portions of Del Norte, Siskiyou, Humboldt, Shasta, Tehama, Trinity Counties.
- Red Flag Warning in effect from 1500 Sunday to 0700 Monday for portions of Humboldt, Trinity, Mendocino Counties. Red Flag Warning in effect from 1700 Sunday to 0700 Monday for portions of Del Norte, Humboldt, Mendocino Counties.

Fire Weather Watch:

- Fire Weather Watch in effect Monday afternoon through Tuesday morning for portions of Amador, El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, Solano, Sutter, Yolo, San Joaquin, Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Yuba, Nevada, Lake, Tehama, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Tuolumne Counties.
- Fire Weather Watch remains in effect from Sunday morning through Monday evening for portions of Lake, Mendocino, Trinity Counties.



SIGNIFICANT WEATHER SITUATION SUMMARY

Chance of Thunderstorms Across Interior CA Monday Afternoon → Tuesday Morning

**Dangerous lightning and
heavy rain with thunderstorms,
Possible fire starts**



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FIRE SITUATION SUMMARY

Governor Brown Declares State of Emergency for Northern California Wildfires

On 08/02/14, Governor Brown issued an emergency proclamation for the state of California due to the effects of wildfires in El Dorado, Amador, Butte, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta, and Siskiyou counties that have burned thousands of acres, destroyed homes and other structures and damaged critical infrastructure.

Cal OES Activations Due to Wildfires

- Cal OES Fire EOC is activated in support of statewide fires.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1

State Agency Activations Due to Wildfires

- On 08/03/14 at 1200 hours, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) activated the Medical Health Coordination Center (MHCC) at Duty Officer status.

Cal OES / CNG Mission Tasking for Additional Firefighting Capabilities

2014-FIRE-4427

Cal OES has Mission Tasked the California National Guard for additional Firefighting capabilities; current status:

- 12 Type-1 Helicopters with water dropping and crew transport capability
- 4 Type-3 Helicopters with water dropping and crew transport capability
- 1 Type-1 Medivac Helicopter with hoist capability
- 0 C-130 Aircraft with Modular Airborne Fire Fighting Systems (MAFFS)

2014-FIRE-4466

- 240 Personnel to be trained for Fireline Hand Crew assignments grouped into 10 – 20 person Hand Crews
- 4 personnel to support each Hand Crew.

Cal OES Law Branch

The Cal OES Law Branch has deployed one (1) Assistant Law Chief to the fires in Region 3.

FIRE SITUATION SUMMARY

NEW NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES – 08/09/14

Thirty-One Incident , Vegetation Fire, Yolo County (New)

County Road 31 Winters

Per CAL FIRE as of 08/09/14 at 1715 hours:

SRA

- 150 acres, 0% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Moderate rate of spread

3-15 Incident, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County (New)

Six (6) miles southeast of Little Valley, north of Straylor Lake

Per CAL FIRE as of 08/09/14 at 1508 hours:

FRA, State Direct Protection Area (DPA)

- Start Time: 1343 hours
- 10 acres, brush and timber, 30% contained
- Forward spread stopped



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FIRE SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County (Update)

Day Road, 2 miles north of Day

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1618 hours:

SRA

- 13,153 acres, 94% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 6 Single Residence and 4 other minor structure
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5070-FM-CA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Eiler, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

12 miles southeast of Burney in the Hat Creek area

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1747 hours:

SRA and FRA

- 32,416 acres timber, 45% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 7 Single Residences, 2 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 12 Other Minor Structures
- Also destroyed, three (3) vehicles and one (1) historic post office.
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5067-FM-CA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Bald Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

8 miles Southeast of Fall River Mills

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1743 hours:

Unified Command FRA with SRA

- 39,926 acres, 95% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5069-FM-CA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)



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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (No Change)

Community of Copco, south of the Oregon Border

Unified Command – State of Oregon and SRA

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer, InciWeb and ICS-209 as of 08/08/14 at 2201 hours:

- 35,248 acres, 58% contained (9,464 acres in State DPA)
- Unified Command with Oregon Department of Forestry ended on 08/08/14 at 1800 hours.
- Fire is part of the Beaver Complex, east of Ashland Oregon
- Threat to 92 structures in the community of Copco
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5068-FM-CA.
- (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief Assigned (This Chief is assigned to the KNF Beaver Incident as well)
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Little Deer, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

Hwy 97 2 miles north of Tenet Bray Turnoff

Per CAL FIRE and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1802 hours:

FRA

- 5,503 acres, 91% contained
- [The fire transitioned to KNF \(Type 3 Command\) on 08/08/14 at 1700 hours.](#)
- Structure Threat: None
- Destroyed Structures: 1 Other Minor Structure
- Hwy 97 is now open to traffic both ways
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

Coffee Complex, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

Coffee Creek Drainage, Trinity Alps Wilderness

Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1755 hours:

FRA

- 6,098 acres timber, 60% contained
- Threatened Structures: 217 Single Residences
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- CAL FIRE air resources committed



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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

KNF Beaver Incident, Siskiyou County (Update)

Klamath River, Beaver Creek

Per the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1728 hours:

FRA

- 20,381 acres, 25% contained
- Type 2 IMT has been assigned
- Threatened Structures: 75 Single Residences, 20 Nonresidential Commercial Properties
- All mandatory evacuation orders have been lifted.
- American Red Cross shelter at Jackson Street School, 405 Jackson St., Yreka, Small animals and livestock can be accommodated. Current Shelter Population – 0. This shelter supports multiple fires.
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned (This Chief is assigned to the Oregon Gulch Incident as well)

July Complex, Siskiyou County (Update)

Four (4) miles southeast of Sawyers Bar

Per Cal Fire ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1739 hours:

FRA

- 8,359 acres, 4% contained
- Threatened Structures: 26 Single Residences, 18 Other Minor Structures
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- July Complex evacuation order for Music Creek, South Russian Creek, and Rainbow Mine areas went into effect at 1900 hours on 08/05/14. The order was issued by the Siskiyou County Sheriff's Office and was issued to all the residents east of Sawyers Bar Road on the 40N54 Road.
- A shelter has been established at Scott Valley Junior High, 237 Butte St., Fort Jones. This shelter is not currently open. A sign with Red Cross contact information is posted for residents to call if they need shelter. If opened, this shelter supports multiple fires.
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Log, Siskiyou County (Update)

Six (4) miles west of Greenview

Per Cal Fire and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1730 hours:

FRA

- 2,673 acres, 23% contained
- Threatened Structures: 152 Single Residences, 22 Multiple Residences, 14 Mixed Commercial/Residential, 7 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 106 Other Minor Structures
- A hard closure of Shackleford Creek Road is in effect at the T-intersection with Quartz Valley Road
- The Quartz Valley area (communities of Quartz Valley and the Quartz Valley Indian Reservation) have been given an evacuation advisory. The number of affected residents is approximately 500 homes.
- An Evacuation Advisory has been issued at Highway 3 from Lighthill Road to South Kidder Creek Road, to include the areas of Scott Valley, Greenview, Mugginsville, Orofino and the North Kidder Creek area affecting approximately 460 residents.
- All mandatory evacuation orders have been lifted.
- A shelter has been established at Scott Valley Junior High, 237 Butte St., Fort Jones. This shelter is not currently open. A sign with Red Cross contact information is posted for residents to call if they need shelter. If opened, this shelter supports multiple fires.
- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.

Lodge Complex, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County (Update)

BLM Elkhorn Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1809 hours:

SRA

- 7,500 acres, 30% contained
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- Structure Threat: 58 Single Residences
- On 08/08/14, a burnover occurred with a Type III Engine Company and a Type I Handcrew, resulting in 8 burn injuries.
- Mandatory evacuations have been issued for the following areas: Elder Place, Tan Oak Park, Bald Mountain Creek, Elk Creek east of Brush Mountain, and Camp Seabow. The Mendocino County Sheriff conducted a reverse 911 to 147 homes.
- A shelter is open at Leggett Valley School, 1 School Way, Leggett, CA 95585-0186. Current Shelter Population -2.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)



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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

French Incident, Vegetation Fire, Madera County (Update)

Rock Creek Campground – Madera County

Per Cal FIRE and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1806 hours:

FRA

- 13,835 acres, 95% contained
- Structure Threat: None
- Type 2 IMT assigned; transition to a Type 3 organization will occur at 0600 hours tomorrow, 06/10/14.
- Madera County EOC is at Level 1.
- One (1) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief is assigned to the incident
- Heavy demobilization of resources occurred today, 08/09/14.
- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, homes in the Arnold Meadows area have been opened for residents only.
- Mandatory evacuations of campsites remain in place. The campsites are on USFS property.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Post Tropical Cyclone Iselle and Hurricane Julio, Hawaii, Pacific Ocean (Update)

Post-Tropical Cyclone Iselle

ISELLE is past the State of Hawaii and has dissipated. JULIO (CAT II) continues to move northwest, approaching the islands from the east and will continue to be monitored. Heavy rains and thunderstorms are expected to continue for the short term.

Hurricane Julio

Category 2 Hurricane, 595 (-220) miles east of Honolulu, Hawaii. Moving west-northwestward at 15 mph (-1). JULIO has maximum sustained winds of 100 mph with higher gusts. A general west-northwest movement is forecast for the next 48 hours. All of the intensity guidance indicates a gradual weakening of JULIO over the next several days. The forecast track takes JULIO north of and parallel to the Main Hawaiian Islands. There are currently no Flood or Hurricane Watches/Warnings. No life safety issues have been reported at this time.

FEMA Stance

The FEMA National Watch Center is at Enhanced Watch (24/7); the FEMA National Response Coordination Center has deactivated. FEMA Region IX Regional Response Coordination Center has deactivated and transitioned to a Regional Enhanced Watch. The FEMA Region IX Incident Management Assistance Team will partially demobilize. The Hawaii Emergency Operations Center has returned to normal operations. Local damage assessments continue with no significant property damage reported. There are no requests for FEMA assistance.

EMAC Deployment

2014-SOC-4699 Deployment of A Team Type I Staff

- (2) OES staff and (1) CNG departed 8/8/2014, expected to return Tuesday, 08/12/14 or Wednesday, 08/13/14.

SITUATION SUMMARY

San Bernardino County Flooding, San Bernardino County (Update)

Update:

- San Bernardino County Operational Area is activated at Level I Duty Officer status, as there is a possibility of rain later today, Saturday 08/09/2014, and into Sunday 08/10/2014, which could affect areas already impacted by the August Severe Weather Incident.

Background: On 08/03/14, the Southern Duty Officer (SDO) was notified by the California State Warning Center (CSWC) that San Bernardino County Operational Area (SBOA) emergency operations center (EOC) had activated at a Level I in support of the significant flood events for the following areas in San Bernardino County; Forest Falls, Mount Baldy, Oak Glen and Lytle Creek. Flash floods Sunday brought thick debris flows that cut off access to towns. Numerous residents in the San Bernardino Mountains were unable to get out because the roads were covered with mud, rock and debris. Per the SDO there are no unmet emergency management and access and functional needs (AFN) nor any requests for State assistance.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Drought Proclamations

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

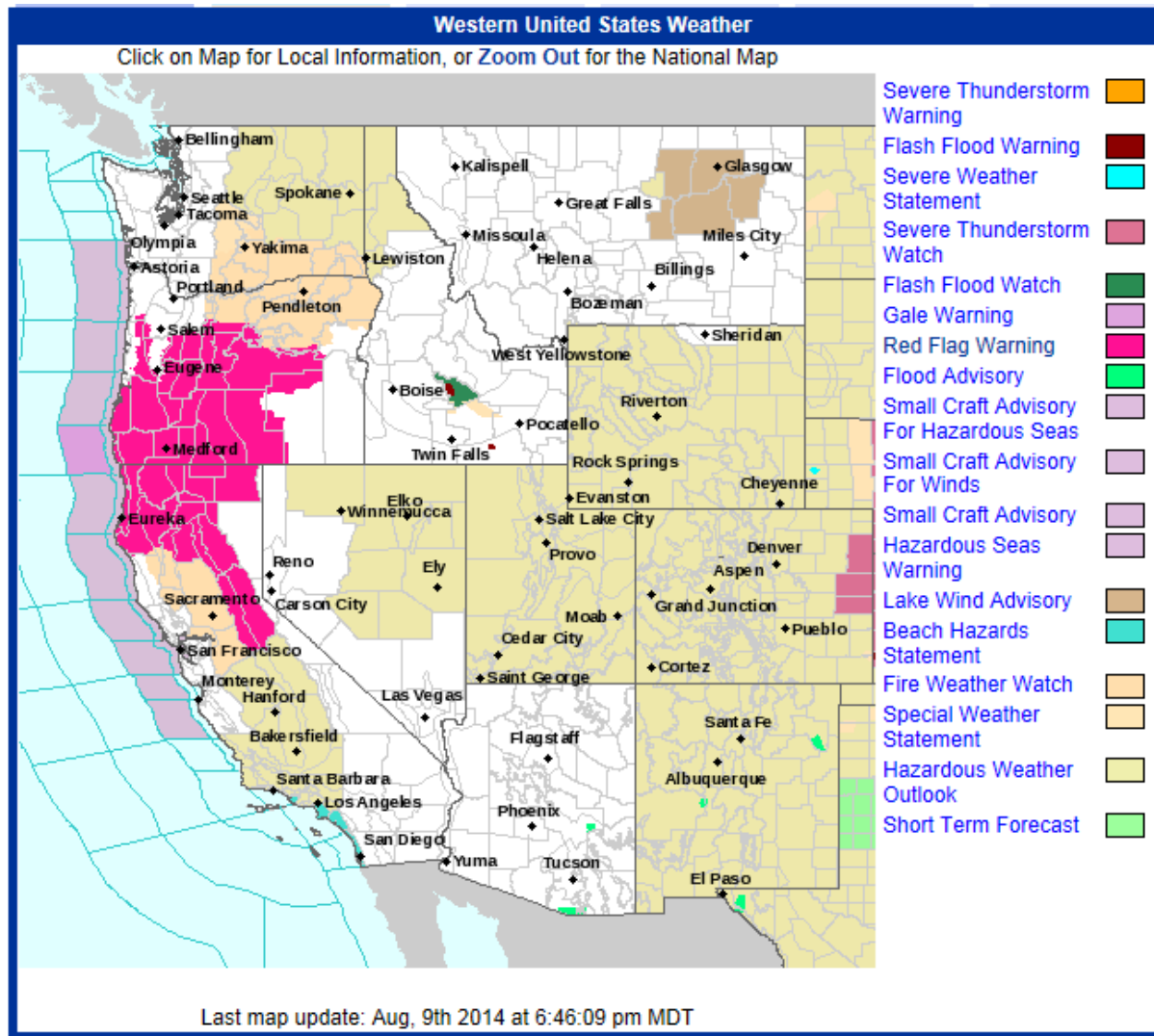
A cutoff low pressure area is approaching the Bay Area. It is expected to become nearly stationary Sunday through early Tuesday, then move east across the Lake Tahoe region late Tuesday. A light southwest flow over the Northern Operations area today will become more southeasterly by this evening. Isolated to scattered thunderstorms are possible again in northern and eastern areas. On Sunday, an area of moist unstable air will be drawn into the Northern Operations area from the southeast. Thunderstorms are expected to become widespread northeast of a line from Redwood National Park to Red Bluff to Placerville. Although individual cells will be capable of producing 0.25-0.50 inches of rainfall, dry strikes and new ignitions are expected as well. Areas to the southwest of that line may also see isolated showers or thunderstorms. On Monday, the area of active weather will be farther to the northeast, mainly in the Northeast California, Northern Sierra, and East Side Predictive Service Area. Other areas may also see isolated showers or thunderstorms as well. As the low moves east on Tuesday, northeastern and eastern areas will still have a chance of thunderstorms, while the remainder of the Northern Operations area will become drier and more stable under a northwesterly flow. A dry northwesterly flow will be in place into next weekend as a gradual warming trend takes place. Skies will be mostly clear to partly cloudy, but showers and thunderstorms are not expected Wednesday through Saturday.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

A weak area of low pressure will move to just off the San Francisco Coast this afternoon and then remain nearly stationary through Monday bringing scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms to the Sierra. A minor amount of monsoonal moisture will also bring scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms to the deserts bordering Nevada and Arizona Sunday and Monday. Temperatures will be slightly below normal across the region through Monday, with mid 70s to mid 80s in the mountains and upper 80s and 90s in the valleys. Minimum humidity will remain mainly between 15% and 30% above the marine layer through Monday, which will be around 2,000 feet deep. Winds will be southeast to southwest 5 to 15 mph through Monday. The low pressure area off the San Francisco Coast will open and move quickly to the northeast Tuesday as a trough approaches the Pacific Northwest ending the thunderstorm threat across the region. This trough will maintain a little below normal temperatures, but minimum humidity will drop to 8% to 15% above the marine layer. There will be westerly afternoon winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph across the mountain ridges and desert passes Tuesday through Thursday. A ridge of high pressure will build into California from the Pacific Ocean bringing a warming trend and continued low humidity to most of the region starting Friday.



STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 4

Northern California

Preparedness Level **5**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **3**

Southern California

Preparedness Level **3**, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode **2**

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

FIRE ACTIVITY



Lodge Complex, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County (Update)

BLM Elkhorn Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1809 hours:

SRA

- 7,500 acres, 30% contained
- On 08/08/14, a burnover occurred with a Type III Engine Company and a Type I Handcrew, resulting in 8 burn injuries.
- Type 1 IMT assigned
- Structure Threat: 58 Single Residences
- Fire spread continues to be a threat to numerous high profile areas including the conservancy owned and operated by UC Berkeley, which includes USGS Hydrologic Bench Mark Stream for monitoring purposes. UC Berkeley is utilizing a \$5 million grant for continued studies in this area.
- BLM has numerous threatened and endangered species in this area.
- Total Personnel – 2,192

Evacuations/Shelters

- Mandatory evacuations have been issued for the following areas: Elder Place, Tan Oak Park, Bald Mountain Creek, Elk Creek east of Brush Mountain, and Camp Seabow. The Mendocino County Sheriff conducted a reverse 911 to 147 homes.
- A shelter is open at Leggett Valley School, 1 School Way, Leggett, CA 95585-0186. Current Shelter Population – 2.

Health/Medical

- An Air Quality Advisory has been issued for the Laytonville/Leggett area as the air is considered un-healthy

Deployments:

- Three (3) Cal OES PSC Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.
- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned.

Activations

- Mendocino County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Coastal Region EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Proclamations

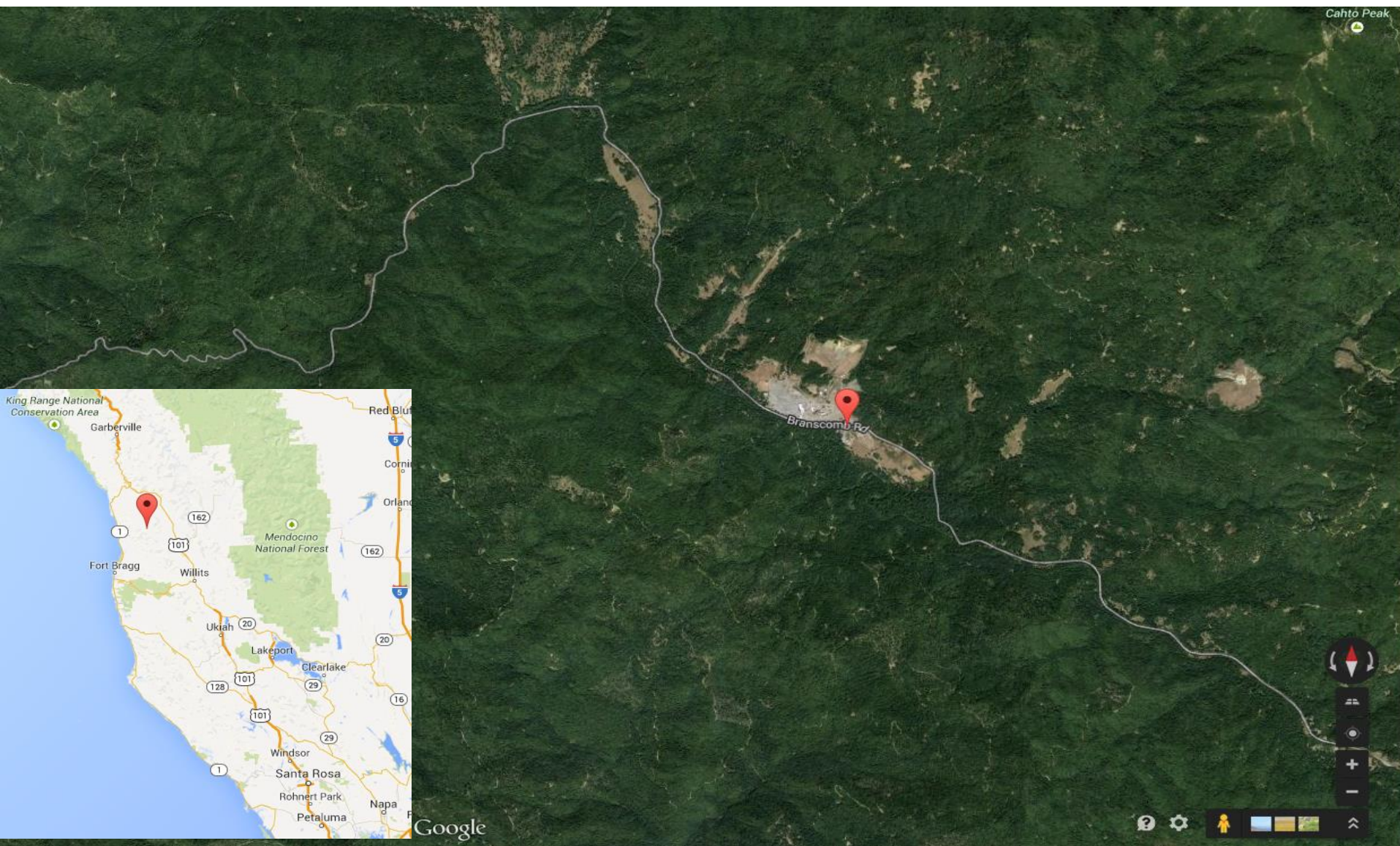
- On 08/02/14, Governor Brown issued an emergency proclamation for the state of California due to the effects of wildfires in El Dorado, Amador, Butte, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta and Siskiyou counties that have burned thousands of acres, destroyed homes and other structures and damaged critical infrastructure.

Mission Tasking

- 2014-CREOC-4605, Mendocino has requested a portable EBAM air monitoring unit from ARB to be set up at Laytonville Fire Department to measure air quality and particle matter from the Lodge fire.



Lodge Incident, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County



BLM Hermitage Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County (Update)

Day Road, 2 miles north of Day

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1618 hours:

SRA



Fire Information

- 13,153 acres, 94% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 6 Single Residence and 4 other minor structure
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5070-FM-CA.
- Total Personnel – 316

Emergency Management

Evacuations/Shelters:

- None

Road Closures

- None

Health/Medical

- An Air Quality Statement was requested by City of Alturas. The request is being handled through Dr. Richert, Modoc County Health Officer.

Activations

- The Modoc County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

FIRE ACTIVITY



Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County Cont. (Update)

Deployments

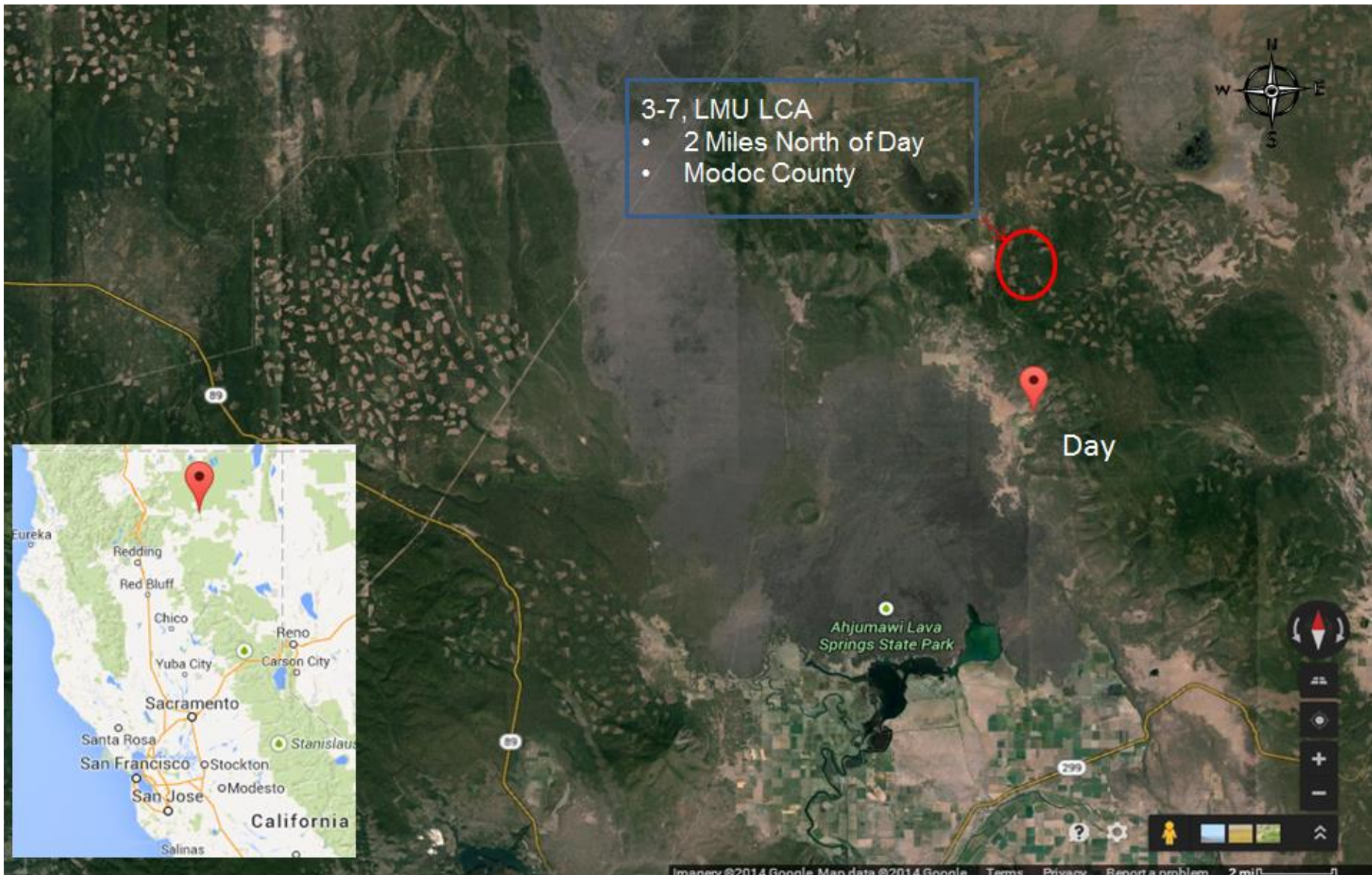
- None

Proclamations

- On 08/01/14, Modoc County proclaimed the existence of a local emergency due to wildland fires burning in the County; including, but not limited to the Day Fire. Board of Supervisors ratified the proclamation on 08/04/14 and the ratified proclamation is asking for CDAA. On 08/05/14 the ratified proclamation was received.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Day Incident, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

12 miles southeast of Burney in the Hat Creek area

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1747 hours:

SRA and FRA

Fire Information

- 32,416 acres timber, 45% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 7 Single Residences, 2 Commercial Properties and 12 Other Minor Structures
- Also destroyed, three (3) vehicles and one (1) historic post office.
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5067-FM-CA.
- Total Personnel: 1,893

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- None

Road Closures

- None

Critical Infrastructure

- Per California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA), no PG&E assets are currently threatened.
- The Burney Water District is concerned about their water infrastructure being threatened by the fire and has requested fire protect their assets. This issue is now being handled at the local level.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County Cont. (Update)



Health/Medical

In coordination with the Shasta County Air Quality staff, which has deployed 2 state Air Resources Board (ARB) mobile E-BAM air monitors in Burney and Fall River Mills; Mayers Memorial Hospital District (MMHD) is continuing with the re-population of the Mayers Burney Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF). All but three patients have returned to the facility. Of the remaining three, two are at the Mayers Fall River SNF and one is at home. Re-population of all residents is still expected to be complete by Saturday, August 9, 2014 at 10:00 AM. No resources are requested and debrief of staff and volunteers is scheduled for Monday, August 18, 2014.

Shasta County Public Health (SCPH) has received hospital surveillance data of patients with smoke-related illness at MMHD for the last four days. SCPH is looking for a possible increase in certain respiratory and other cases that might be related to smoke and so far have not found any such potential increase.

Activations

- None

Deployments

- Four (4) Cal OES PSC Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned (This Chief is assigned to the Bald Incident as well)
- One (1) Cal OES ACS Staff

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4578**, (3) Portable E-BAM Smoke Monitors deployed on 08/04 to Lakehead, Burney, and Fall River.
- **2014-FIRE-4621**, MIGU 3 and 4; [released 2000 hours, 08/08/14](#).

Proclamations

- Shasta County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, requesting CDAA.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County



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Bald Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta/ Lassen Counties (Update)

Near Bald Mountain, 8 miles southeast of Fall River Mills

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Fire Duty Officer and ICS-209 as of 08/09/14 at 1743 hours:

Unified Command FRA with SRA

Fire Information

- 39,926 acres, 95% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: None
- NORCAL Team 1 assumed command on 08/02/14 at 0600 hours
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5069-FM-CA.
- Total Personnel - 649

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- None

Road Closures

- None

Utilities

- None

Activations

- Lassen County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned.

Proclamations:

- Lassen County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, with no requests for state assistance; the Board of Supervisors confirmed the proclamation on 08/04/14.
- Shasta County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, requesting CDAA.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.



Bald Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta/ Lassen Counties



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Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (No Change)

Community of Copco, south of the Oregon Border

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Fire Information

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- Unified Command with Oregon Department of Forestry ended on 08/08/14 at 1800 hours.
- Fire was part of the Beaver Complex, east of Ashland Oregon
- Fire burned into California on 07/31/14
- Threat to 92 structures in the community of Copco
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5068-FM-CA.

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer, an evacuation advisory is in effect for Oregon Gulch Road.

Road Closures:

- None

Critical Infrastructure (including Hospital and Medical Facilities)

- Even though the fire threat has reduced, as of 08/06/14 there is still concern regarding Fall Creek which is the source of the City of Yreka's water supply. Cal Fire has this as a significant infrastructure item for their planning purposes.
- City of Yreka has a contingency plan in place. There is a generator on site, with a second one available if needed. The City can also pump from wells if necessary.
- Cal Fire has prepped the area around the water intake station to assist with defense.

Utilities

- PG&E reports no threats to their infrastructure.
- Per CAISO the grid is stable with ample surplus capacity to meet any demand.
- All communications networks, wireline and cellular are stable.



FIRE ACTIVITY



Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County Cont. (No Change)

Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14 through the weekend.
- The Inland REOC reduced to Level 1 at 1600 on 08/08/14. Unless the situation otherwise requires, the REOC will return to Level 2 at 0800 on Monday, 08/11/14.
- The SOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-2000 hours.

Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned.

Mission Tasking

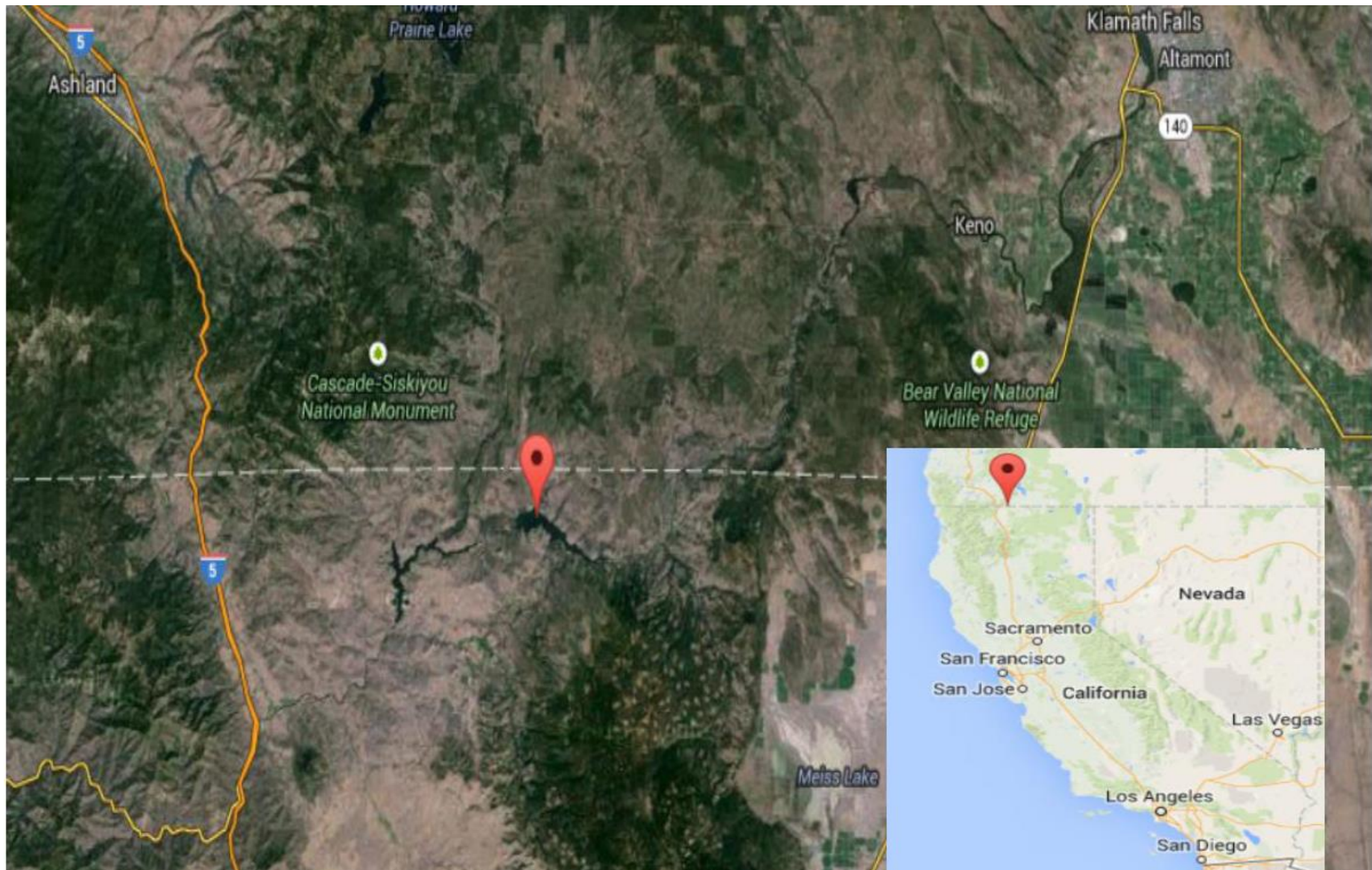
- **2014-IREOC-4568**, (4) Portable EBAM Smoke Monitors. (2) Units deployed 08/04 and (2) Units deployed 08/05.

Proclamations:

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



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CAL OES ACTIVATIONS

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

Situational Summary

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

- Current Reservoir Levels continue to decline. Levels as of August 7th : Don Pedro 43%; Exchequer 19%; Folsom Lake 41%; Lake Oroville 34%; Millerton Lake 51%; New Melones 25%; Pine Flat 12%; San Luis 21%; Lake Shasta 33%; Trinity Lake 34%; Pyramid Lake 93%; and Castaic Lake 47%.
- Emergency Drinking Water Procurement and Distribution Planning Guidance (rev. May 2014)
Significant changes have occurred to the structure of California's state government organization. Rapid advances in systems, science, and technology have helped emergency managers improve coordination, forecasting, and situational awareness. Because of these changes, the *Multi-Agency Emergency Response Procedures for Potable Water Procurement & Distribution* document has been replaced by the *Emergency Drinking Water Procurement and Distribution Planning Guidance*. The intent of this guidance document is to clarify the roles and responsibilities of the stakeholders involved in locating, procuring, and delivery of emergency drinking water¹ to populations in California. Consequently creating a framework for agencies and organizations to work together to enhance preparedness.



Situational Summary

- State Board Mandatory Conservation Regulations Now in Effect: The state's first-ever emergency regulations mandating urban water conservation became effective will be in effect until April 25, 2015.
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/drought/emergency_regulations_waterconservation.shtml
- The 2014 Governor Drought Task Force continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.

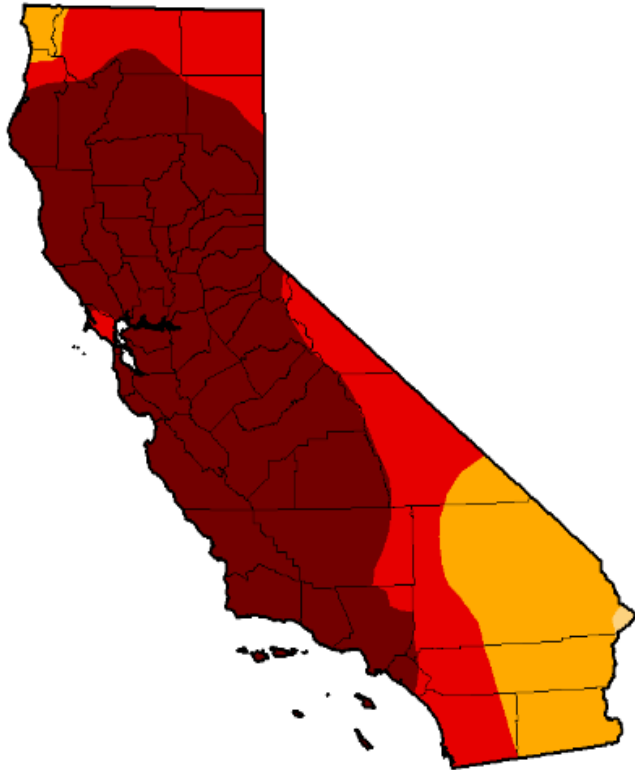
August 5, 2014
 (Released Thursday August 7, 2014)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

U.S. Drought Monitor

California

Drought Condition (Percent Area):

Week	Date	Nothing	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	8/5/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	99.80	81.92	58.41
Last Week	7/29/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	81.89	58.41
3 Months Ago	5/6/2014	0.00	100.00	100.00	95.93	76.68	24.77
Start of Calendar Year	12/31/2013	2.61	97.39	94.25	87.53	27.59	0.00
Start of Water Year	10/1/2013	2.63	97.37	95.95	84.12	11.36	0.00
One Year Ago	8/6/2013	0.00	100.00	98.23	93.86	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

D0 - Abnormally Dry
 D1 - Moderate Drought
 D2 - Severe Drought

D3 - Extreme Drought
 D4 - Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying [text summary](#) for forecast statements.

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Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/27/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/31/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	8/7/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	8/6/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	8/7/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Trinity	8/5/2014	No specific request.	
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/15/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	8/6/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	8/5/2014
Coastal Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Inland Region		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Lodi City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mountain House CSD, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declaring Stage 1 Mandatory Water Conservation
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Ripon City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Mandatory Water Conservation
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Cortina Rancheria Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians, Colusa County	7/7/2014	Declared drought emergency / instituting conservation measures.



Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Svcs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	7/29/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of Rio Dell, Humboldt	7/17/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Shortage Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Southern Region		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	5/21/2014	Declare Stage II Water Emergency



County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 8/08/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	8/4/2014	TBD
Humboldt	8/7/2014	TBD
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	7/18/2014	8/27/2014
Madera	7/29/2014	TBD
Merced	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	7/16/2014	TBD
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	8/5/2014	TBD
Sacramento	7/31/2014	TBD
San Joaquin	7/16/2014	8/13/2014
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	8/7/2014	TBD
Sutter	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	7/14/2014	8/21/2014
Tuolumne	7/17/2014	8/21/2014
Yolo	8/7/2014	TBD
Coastal Region		
Hoop Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	TBD
Lake	8/7/2014	TBD
Mendocino	7/31/2014	8/16/2014
Monterey	7/30/2014	TBD
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Francisco		8/11/2014
San Mateo	7/29/2014	TBD
Southern Region		
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	7/24/2014	8/20/2014
Santa Barbara	7/23/2014	8/20/2014



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CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4759, 8/9/2014, 0015 hours**, Alpine County Sheriff's Department (ACSD) requesting resources to locate a missing 58 year old male hiker. ACSD is requesting 40 ground searchers, 3 search dog teams (2 area dogs, 1 water dog) and 1 dive team. M/P was last heard of in the Sunset Lake area. ACSD advised that they located M/P's backpack and camping gear. El Dorado and Amador County Sheriff's Department is responding with ground searchers. El Dorado County Sheriff's Department is responding with their dive team also. California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating the search dog response. Cal OES TCOMM is also supporting the mission; Cal OES Communications Coordinator with cache of radios; radios have been delivered to the ICP. ***Mission On-going***
- **2014-LAW-3978**, On 08/05/2014 at 1519 hours, this law mission was continued at the request of San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department (SBSD). SBSD is requesting Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) Mine Team to assist in a continuing search for human remains related to an active, ongoing homicide investigation in the Twenty Nine Palms area. The continued search was scheduled for this weekend, 8/09-8/10; however, has been postponed to the following weekend, 08/16-17/2014. LASD's Mine Team has accepted the mission and will respond. **Mission On-Going**



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